

Interview Summary

Application No.

10/764,099

Applicant(s)

WANKMUELLER, JOHN

Examiner

Uyen-Chau N. Le

Art Unit

2876

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) Uyen-Chau N. Le.

(3) _____.

(2) Jeremy Merling.

(4) _____.

Date of Interview: 10/22/07, 10/25/07.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference
c) ☐ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☐ No.

If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: 1, 7, 15 and 23.

Identification of prior art discussed: Fromm and Woo.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☒ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: The Examiner suggested Mr. Merling to incorporate the limitations of claims 7, 15, and 23 into each of the independent claims to overcome the prior art of records. Mr. Merling authorized the Examiner amendment in order to place the instant application in the proper form for an allowance by incorporating the limitations of dependent claims 7, 15 and 23 into each of the independent claims 1, 9, 17 and 25 respectively.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP Section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN A NON-EXTENDABLE PERIOD OF THE LONGER OF ONE MONTH OR THIRTY DAYS FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE, OR THE MAILING DATE OF THIS INTERVIEW SUMMARY FORM, WHICHEVER IS LATER, TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. See Summary of Record of Interview requirements on reverse side or on attached sheet.

Examiner Note: You must sign this form unless it is an Attachment to a signed Office action.



Examiner's signature, if required